RENO COUNTY - DESIGNATED CRITICAL HABITATS

ARKANSAS DARTER - *Etheostoma cragini* (Gilbert, 1885)

Status: Threatened in Kansas Federal Candidate

- (1) The main stem of the North Fork Ninnescah River on the Stafford/Reno County line (Sec. 31-T24S-R10W) to it's confluence with South Fork Ninnescah River in Sedgwick County (Sec. 36-T28S-R4W).
- (2) Numerous perennial spring-fed reaches of named and unnamed tributaries of the Arkansas River. Contact the Department's Environmental Services Section for further information.

ARKANSAS RIVER SHINER - *Notropis girardi* (Hubbs and Ortenburger, 1929)

Status: Endangered in Kansas Threatened Nationally

SPECKLED CHUB - Macrhybopsis aestivalis tetranemus (Girard, 1856)

Status: Endangered in Kansas

All reaches of the main stem Arkansas River in Reno County are designated critical for the Arkansas River shiner and speckled chub.

BALD EAGLE - Haliaeetus leucocephalus (Linnaeus, 1766)

Status: Threatened in Kansas Threatened Nationally

- (1) All lands and waters that lie within 5 air miles of public lands on Cheney Reservoir.
- (2) All lands and waters within Quivira National Wildlife Refuge in Stafford, Reno, and Rice counties.

LEAST TERN - Sterna antillarum (Lesson, 1847)

Status: Endangered in Kansas Endangered Nationally

SNOWY PLOVER - Charadrius alexandrinus (Linnaeus, 1758)

Status: Threatened in Kansas

WHITE-FACED IBIS - Plegadis chihi (Vieillot, 1817)

Status: Threatened in Kansas

WHOOPING CRANE - Grus americana (Linnaeus, 1758)

Status: Endangered in Kansas Endangered Nationally

Currently, the following areas are designated critical for the least tern, snowy plover, white-faced ibis and the whooping crane:

All lands and waters within Quivira National Wildlife Refuge in Stafford, Reno, and Rice counties.